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11 February 2004



Brambles

Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance 450 Fifth Street NW Washington DC 20549 USA





RE: BRAMBLES INDUSTRIES PLC Rule 12g3-2(b) Exemption (File No. 82-5205)

Dear Sirs and Mesdames,

The enclosed information is being submitted by Brambles Industries plc (the "Company") under paragraph (b) (1) (i) of Rule 12g3-2 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"). The Company's file number is indicated in the upper right hand corner of each unbound page submitted with this letter.

In accordance with paragraphs (b) (4) and (b) (5) of the Rule, the documents submitted with this letter are being submitted with the understanding that such documents will not be deemed "filed" with the Securities and Exchange Commission or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, and that neither this letter nor the submission of such documents shall constitute an admission for any purpose that the Company is subject to the Exchange Act.

Yours faithfully

Laura Jackson

Company Secretarial Assistant

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SCHEDULE 10

NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1) Name of company

Brambles Industries plc

2) Name of shareholder having a major interest

The Capital Group Companies, Inc.

3) Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18

On behalf of its affiliates

4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them

See list appended

5) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired

N/A

6) Percentage of issued class

N/A

7) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

Not advised

8) Percentage of issued class

Not advised

9) Class of security

Ordinary shares of 5p each

10) Date of transaction

Not advised

11) Date company informed

11 February 2004

12) Total holding following this notification

58,290,294

13) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification

8.05%

- 14) Any additional information
- 15) Name of contact and telephone number for queries
 Sandra Walters 020 7659 6039
- 16) Name of authorised company official responsible for making this notification

Sandra Walters, Assistant Company Secretary

Date of notification 11 February 2004

Details of Registered Holders

Capital Guardian Trust Company		2.64%
State Street Nominees Limited	3,689,800	
Bank of New York Nominees	265,000	
Chase Nominees Limited	8,825,876	
BT Globenet Nominees Ltd.	227,700	
Midland Bank plc	2,292,600	
Bankers Trust	875,700	
Barclays Bank, Barclays Global	368,400	
Securities Services		
Citibank London	19,200	
Nortrust Nominees	1,931,700	
Royal Bank of Scotland	8,800	
MSS Nominees Limited	18,000	
ROY Nominees Limited	28,700	
Mellon Nominees (UK) Limited	407,590	
HSBC	30,600 ·	
Total	18,989,666	
Capital International Limited		2.78%
State Street Nominees Limited	624,181	
Bank of New York Nominees	4,752,431	
Northern Trust	380,615	
Chase Nominees Limited	4,790,459	
Midland Bank plc	236,500	
Bankers Trust	371,042	
Barclays Bank, Barclays Global	225,100	
Securities Services	·	
Citibank London	400,800	
Morgan Guaranty	246,045	
Nortrust Nominees	2,964,077	
Royal Bank of Scotland	39,500	
MSS Nominees Limited	194,000	
State Street Bank & Trust Co	1,964,512	
Lloyds Bank	97,700	
Deutsche Bank AG	589,600	
HSBC Bank plc	835,840	
Mellon Bank N.A.	370,804	
Northern Trust AVFC	246,800	
KAS UK	31,415	
Mellon Nominees (UK) Limited	299,000	
Bank One London	321,780	
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Clydesdale Bank plc Total	114,800 20,097,001	
Capital International S.A.		1.44%
State Street Nominees Limited	40,900	
Bank of New York Nominees	68,800	
Chase Nominees Limited	3,269,541	
Credit Suisse London Branch	93,600	
Midland Bank plc	883,900	
Barclays Bank, Barclays Global	955,900	
Securities Services		
Pictet & Cie, Geneva	50,800	
Citibank London	64,400	
Brown Bros.	128,500	
Nortrust Nominees	36,200	
Morgan Stanley	40,300	
Royal Bank of Scotland	2,202,197	
J.P. Morgan	1,215,136	
State Street Bank & Trust Co.	51,400	
National Westminster Bank	265,900	
Lloyds Bank	58,156	
RBSTB Nominees Ltd.	195,100	
Citibank NA	53,300	
Deutsche Bank AG	401,746	
HSBC Bank plc	354,840	
Total	10,430,616	
Capital International Inc.		0.24%
State Street Nominees Limited	968,000	
Bank of New York Nominees	30,900	
Chase Nominees Limited	67,100	
Midland Bank plc	196,100	
Bankers Trust	19,000	
Nortrust Nominees	85,326	
Royal Bank of Scotland	213,800	
State Street Bank & Trust Co	39,100	
RBSTB Nominees Ltd.	39,300	
HSBC Bank plc	114,385	
Total	1,773,011	
Capital Research and Management Company		0.97%
Chase Nominees Limited	7 000 000	
Total	7,000,000 7,000,000	
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